

NOON DESPATCHES.

DISSEMINATION IN THE SPANISH CORTES.—THE ENGLISH ECLIPSE EXPEDITION—WORK-INGMEN'S CONGRESS, &c., &c.

MADRID, November 4.—It is believed an attack on the Government by the Republicans, under the lead of Senor Zorilla, will be made in the Cortes during the coming week, on the subject of the manner of dealing with the International Society. Senors Zorilla and Sagasta are widely at variance on this point, the latter supporting the Government heartily. A compromise between Sagasta and Zorilla, which has up to this time been discussed and looked forward to among conservative Republicans, is now thought impossible, as the agitation threatened in the International matter is sure to produce a complete rupture.

LONDON, November 6.—The British expedition of observation of the total eclipse, on December 11, has arrived at Malta.

BERLIN, November 6.—The workmen of this city are in earnest in their preparation for a union, of all the working men's associations for co-operation on all questions affecting their common interests. A congress for the consolidation of the trades unions will be held here on the 17th inst.

American Intelligence.

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SOUTH CAROLINA BONDS.—NEW YORK ELECTIONS.—GROSVENOR'S DEATH.—SMALL-POX DEATHS.—INSURANCE ITEMS.—NO YELLOW FEVER IN SAVANNAH, &c., &c.

WASHINGTON, November 4.—The following is telegraphed as an indication of the political situation in New York: "The attendance at the pool room of Messrs. Marshall & Johnson was very large last evening, many of whom were politicians of both parties, anxious to put out their money on the coming elections on the State ticket. The betting is close, the Democratic candidate having a slight lead over his opponent, while for the Registryship of this city Shandly is backed at long odds over Seigal in the race. For Senatorial honors in the Seventh District, the betting on Bradley and O'Brien is almost at even figures."

CHICAGO, November 4.—Gov. Palmer, after alluding to the circumstances preceding the death of Grosvenor, concludes: "I think you will perceive it is the duty of the Governor and Attorney-General, and all other officers, to see that laws are enforced against all parties concerned in these illegal, dangerous acts. It is not necessary in determining upon the line of duty to be adopted to inquire whether the Mayor of Chicago, Lieut. Gen. Sheridan, and Frank T. Sherman and his associates, and supposed subordinates, who were the agents by which the death of Thos. Grosvenor was produced, in assuming powers they did not possess, and which cannot be conferred upon them, were influenced by proper or improper motives or purposes. They assumed to suspend the operation of the Constitution and laws of the State, and substitute in their stead laws and military force to be defined and applied by themselves. They, by their lawless acts, attacked and insulted the dignity and authority of the State, and have, by their dangerous example, weakened public confidence in the Constitution and laws, and in their attempt to enforce usurped and lawless authority, they have sacrificed the life of a peaceable citizen. Animated by the confidence I have thus expressed, and confident in the belief that the State of Illinois, acting through the proper departments of its government, is capable of protecting its own people and of enforcing the dignity and authority of its own laws, I have to request that you, in conjunction with the State's Attorney of the Seventh Circuit, will bring all the facts before the grand jury of Cook County, in order that all persons concerned in the unlawful killing of Thos. W. Grosvenor may be brought to a speedy trial."

PHILADELPHIA, November 4.—The Board of Health reports an average of fourteen deaths per day from small-pox during the week ending to-day, being a slight increase over the previous week.

WASHINGTON, November 5.—The President has no present intention to further suspend the *habeas corpus* in the South, unless a condition of affairs to that in certain South Carolina Counties occurs elsewhere.

Parties interested in the manufacture of tobacco and whiskey are strongly urging upon the Commissioner of Internal Revenue various recommendations upon these subjects, but it is not thought he will in his annual report recommend any material changes to Congress.

The President's instructions to Federal officers were that there should be a firm but judicious enforcement of the laws in Utah, and no compromise with criminals. Latest official reports represent that all danger of a collision are over.

PHILADELPHIA, November 6.—The small-pox deaths average fourteen per day for the week ending Saturday.

SALT LAKE, November 6.—The last advices state that Brigham Young was in the extreme Southern boundary of the territory.

NEW YORK, November 6.—The *World* states that the entire State Government of South Carolina is here. The American Bank Note Company has printed \$20,000,000 of bonds for Mr. Kimpton, Financial Agent of the State. It is said Gov. Scott admits that the bonds were printed, but denies that all were issued; but he does not state what amount has been issued. Kimpton, it is asserted, brings a claim against the State for services and commissions, amounting to \$4,000,000; and the other State officers have not dared to resist the payment thereof, though much of it is for renewals, which were credited as to new loans. The commissions, it is said, more than swallowed up the original loan. The expenses of the last Legislature, (\$800,000,) have not been paid.

The *World* concludes, by stating that its information is from a source entitling it to the highest credit. The persons giving it express the confident belief that a fraudulent issue, amounting to \$20,046,000 of State bonds has been negotiated, and the money misapplied, and are convinced that if it should prove that the State is involved to that amount, it will be irretrievably insolvent.

NEW YORK, October 5.—To the Public: Many false representations and statements have been made and published against the credit of the State of South Carolina. It is true that \$20,204,000 of bonds have been printed, of which amount \$9,000,000 have never been signed or issued; nor were they printed with the intention to increase the State debt; but are in possession of the State authorities. Also, \$3,500,000 of sterling bonds have been printed, but not issued. \$2,500,000 of registered stock are now in the hands of the Treasurer of the State, being the balance of \$5,040,000 issued. The Legislature, from time to time, passed several Acts for the issue of bonds to pay the indebtedness of the State. Subsequently, it passed an Act for the conversion of its securities. To provide for this, the above amount in bonds was printed, which has given rise to many groundless misrepresentations and gross fabrications.

R. K. SCOTT,

Governor of South Carolina.

NILES G. PARKER, Treasurer.

JOHN B. DENNIS,

Chairman Com. on State Accounts.

LOUISVILLE, November 6.—A pillar supporting the main floor of the African Baptist Church, corner Fifth and York streets, gave way. The congregation panicked, and nine women and two children were trampled to death on the stairs.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 6.—Mrs. Julia Savins, who shot and killed her husband's paramour, has been acquitted.

WILMINGTON, DEL., November 6.—A justice of the peace killed a school master, with whom he had been eating and drinking all night. Weapons—butter knife and shot-gun.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., November 6.—Necessity was pleaded in defence of General Sheridan's military occupation of Chicago. It is known now, that Palmer sent 450 picked men, under experienced officers, to enforce the laws and preserve order. The Mayor, under the advice of Sheridan, sent them home, as not needed; and subsequently, a regiment, (a member of which killed Grosvenor,) was called into service by Sheridan.

NIGHT DESPATCHES.

PHILADELPHIA, November 6.—Watson & Clarke's phosphatic works, insured for \$150,000 in the National of Baltimore, losses \$200,000 at Chicago. A petition has been filed in the Federal Court to place the Manhattan Insurance Company, of New York, in bankruptcy. This is done as a test as to whether a foreign corporation doing business in this State is amenable to the Bankrupt Court in this State.

BROOKVILLE, IND., November 6.—The Stewart paper mills were burned, to-day; loss \$75,000.

SAVANNAH, November 6.—Reports are being still industriously circulated of the existence of yellow fever in Savannah. The Agent of the Associated Press has made special inquiry of the leading physicians of the city, the city authorities, at the hospitals, and among the people, and is authorized, and feels it his duty, to state that there is no foundation for such reports. Not only is the city entirely free from yellow fever or any other infectious or epidemic diseases, but is remarkably healthy. The reports alluded to have been repeatedly and persistently circulated, in the face of the most positive denials. The public may be assured of their utter falsity.

WASHINGTON, November 6.—The Supreme Court will hear argument on the 17th on a *mandamus* to compel the Secretary of the Treasury to pay Kentucky's war claim.

The Postmaster-General will recommend that straw bidding for mail contracts be made a misdemeanor.

The *Tribune* announces the resignation of Secretary of State Fish.

Probabilities—The barometer will probably rise on Tuesday very generally along the Atlantic coast, and the winds veer to the North-east, with rising temperature in the Middle and Southern States. Easterly winds will probably continue during the night on Southern Lake Michigan, and North-east winds on the North-east and lower lakes. Dangerous winds are not anticipated for our coast this evening.

NEW YORK, November 6.—The office of the *Hoboken Leader*, a Democratic paper, was entered early this morning, the types pried, and the office thrown into confusion.

A writ is out for the arrest of Thomas Fields, candidate against Seymour for the Assembly, to recover \$500,000.

MONTGOMERY, November 6.—Judge Busted, sitting in a court of bankruptcy, granted an order declaring the Alabama and Chattahoochee Railroad Company bankrupt. He appointed Col. Gindrat, the receiver, heretofore appointed by the State authorities, as *custodian ad interim*, and appointed November 27 as the day for the election of an assignee. The State now runs the road for 200 miles, and it is said, will have the whole road in a day or two in active operation.

CHARLESTON, November 6.—Arrived—steamers Virginia, Philadelphia; Georgia, New York.

CHARLESTON, November 6.—Two yellow fever deaths to-day.

Financial and Commercial.

NEW YORK, November 5.—The cotton movement was large in receipts, total being in excess of any previous week this season. Exports for the week were less than one-half the amount for the corresponding week of last year. Total for the expired portion of the cotton

year shows considerable falling off as compared with the same time last year. This is due, in part, to the scarcity of money in the South to move the crop. The receipts at all ports for the week were 96,708 bales, against 93,069 last week 82,538 the previous week, and 64,097 three weeks since. Total since September 459,111 bales, against 542,745 for corresponding period of the previous year, showing a decrease since September 1st, this year, of 83,634 bales. Exports from all ports for week 36,344 bales, against 73,124 for the same week last year. Total exports for expired portion of the cotton year are 189,247 bales, against 329,553 for the same time last year. Stock at all ports 233,101 bales, against 247,002 for the same time last year. Stock at all ports 262,101 bales, against 247,802 for the same time last year. Stock at interior towns 52,986 bales, against 43,248 last year. Stock in Liverpool 717,000 bales, against 463,000 last year. Amount of American cotton afloat for Great Britain 67,000 bales, against 8,000 last year. Indian cotton afloat for Europe 361,098 bales, against 103,213 last year. The weather at the South during the week was less favorable for picking, and, in some sections, there has been a slight frost, while many parts of the South were being visited with rain.

NEW YORK, November 6.—Noon.—Sales of futures Saturday evening 6,700 bales, as follows: November 16@18½; December 18 5-16@18 7-16; January 18½@18½; February 18 13 16@18½; March 19 1-16@19½; April 19½. Flour dull and heavy. Wheat quiet and without decided change. Corn nominally unchanged. Pork in moderate request, at 13 20@13 25. Lard quiet. Cotton quiet and steady—uplands 18½. Freights quiet. Stocks and Governments dull but steady. State bonds dull—new South Carolinas strong; South Carolinas 70; new 36. Money firm, at 6@7. Gold strong, at 12. Exchange—long 8½; short 9½.

LONDON, November 6.—Noon.—Consols 92½. Bonds 91½.

FRANKFURT, November 6.—Bonds 96½.

PARIS, November 6.—Rentes 57½. 45c.

LIVERPOOL, November 6.—3 P. M.—Cotton quiet and steady—uplands 9½; Orleans 9½; sales 10,000 bales; speculation 2,000.

LIVERPOOL, November 6.—Evening.—Cotton closed quiet and steady—uplands 9½; Orleans 9½.

7 P. M.—Cotton firm; sales 2,044 bales—uplands 18½; Orleans 19½. Flour—Southern dull and drooping; common to fair extra 6.80@7.50; good to choice 7.55@9.25. Whiskey 90½@91. Wheat 2@3c. better and more doing—red winter Western 1.55@1.80. Corn scarce and 1@2c. better, at 76½@77½. Rice quiet, at 7½@8½. Pork 13.00@13.20. Lard heavy—kettle 10½. Money easy and declined from 7 to 4. Sterling firm, at 8½. Gold 12½. Governments steady—62½ 11½. States quiet, except new South Carolinas, which are heavy but active. Tennessee 66; new 65½. Virginia 58½; new 62. Louisiana 65; new 56; levees 60; 8s 72. Alabama 97; 5s 65. Georgia 80; 7s 86. North Carolinas 37; new 19. South Carolinas 70; new 36. Sales of futures to-day as follows: November 18 5-16@18½; December 18½; January 18½@18½; February 19 1-16; March 19½; April 19 7-16@19½.

ST. LOUIS, November 6.—Flour firm—winter superfine 5.00@5.25. Corn firm. Whiskey 88½. Bagging unchanged. Pork 14.00. Bacon dull and unchanged. Lard 9@9½.

LOUISVILLE, November 6.—Bagging 16½@17. Flour—best grades a fraction lower. Corn quiet. Pork 13.50. Shoulders 12½; clear sides 8½. Packed lard 9½@9¾; kegs 10½@11. Whiskey 88.

CINCINNATI, November 6.—Pork held at 13.00. Lard drooping, at 8½@9. Shoulders 7½; sides 7½@8. Whiskey 88.

MOBILE, November 6.—Cotton firm—middling 17½@17¾; receipts 3,155 bales; sales 1,000; stock 31,617.

NEW ORLEANS, November 6.—Flour—superfine 6.25; double 6.75@7.00; treble 7.12@7.25. Corn quiet—yellow and mixed 81@82; white 88@90. Pork 15.50. Bacon dull—shoulders 8½@8¾; clear ribs scarce, at 8¾@9; clear 8½@8¾. Hams—sugar-cured dull, at 16½. Lard—tierce 10½@10¾; keg 11½. Sugar—common to good fair 8½@10¼; fully fair to prime 10¾@11½; yellow clarified 12½. Molasses—inferior 30@40; fair 45@48; prime to choice 50@55. Cotton strong—middling 18; receipts 4,742 bales; sales 2,000; stock 67,551.

SAVANNAH, November 6.—Cotton quiet and in good demand, but at lower rates—middling 17½; receipts 4,560 bales; sales 1,000; stock 45,584.

AUGUSTA, November 6.—Cotton very quiet and firm—receipts 1,000 bales; sales 550; middling 17.

BALTIMORE, November 6.—Flour dull. Wheat steady—amber 1.70@1.80; good red to prime 1.50@1.65. Corn firm—white Southern 70@71; yellow Southern 68@70; mixed 73. Pork 14.50. Shoulders 8. Whiskey 92½. Cotton firm—middling 18½@18¾; receipts 684 bales; sales 285; stock 3,865.

BOSTON, November 6.—Cotton quiet—middling 18½; receipts 2,555 bales; sales 300; stock 1,500.

NORFOLK, November 6.—Cotton quiet—middling 17½@17¾; receipts 2,433 bales; sales 200; stock 8,003.

CHARLOTTE, November 6.—Cotton firm—middling 17½; receipts 911 bales; sales 200; stock 24,966.

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Programme for the Week.

TUESDAY.

Gates open at 9 o'clock A. M. From 10 till 12, an exhibition in the arena of all the cattle, under the direction of the Superintendent. From 12 till 2, a display of all the horses, beginning with those led by the halter, and closing with saddle, single and matched harness horses, as directed by the Superintendent.

At 3, the contest for the speed premium of \$50 for the fastest trotting and pacing, mile neat; to be followed by a race for the speed premium of \$100, single dash of two miles.

WEDNESDAY.

Gates open at 9 o'clock A. M. From 10 till 12, a brilliant musical contest between the Brass Bands of the State. From 12 till 4, a grand Tournament, under the supervision of Col. A. C. Haskell, of Columbia, to whom letters should be addressed for information as to details. Knights from all sections of the Union respectfully invited.

THURSDAY.

Gates open at 9 o'clock A. M. The forenoon will be devoted to the examination, in the arena, by the committee, of all cattle; succeeded by a display of the haltered horses and mules, as directed by the Superintendent. At this examination, the decisions will be made, and the ribbons tied.

At 3, the contest for the speed premium of \$50 for the fastest trotting, mile dash; to be followed by a race for the speed premium of \$100, mile heats.

FRIDAY.

Gates open at 9 o'clock A. M. From 10 till 11, a contest in the arena between the saddle horses.

From 11 till 2, the same between single and double harness horses. At this contest, the committees will tie the ribbons.

At 3, the contest for the speed premium of \$50 for the fastest trotting, half mile heats, neat three in five; to be followed by a race for the speed premium of \$75, mile dash.

SATURDAY.

Gates open at 9 o'clock A. M. At 10 o'clock, auction sales of live stock. At 12 M., the premiums will be awarded from the Executive Stand, at the conclusion of which, the Fair will close.

Each morning of the week, from 9 till 10 o'clock will be devoted by the respective committees to ploughing matches, and tests of all kinds of implements. Sufficient motive power, grain, seed cotton and logs will be furnished by the Society to prove the mills, gins and other machines. Plow-men are expected to furnish their own teams.

A bazaar will be open on the grounds during the week, by the ladies of the Memorial Association, and its proceeds devoted to protecting the Confederate dead.

The several committees will be published in the Columbia papers of Tuesday, 7th November, and all the members are earnestly requested to call at the Secretary's office, at 9 o'clock of same day.

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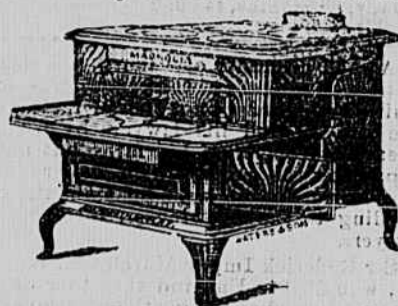
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